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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s) : Eric C. Samson

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For : Managing Power Consumption by Requesting an Adjustment to an Operating Point of a Processor

AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the outstanding final office action dated December 8, 2008, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration in view of the following Amendment and Remarks. A request for a one month extension of time is being filed concurrently herewith. A Request for Continued Examination (RCE) is also being submitted concurrently herewith.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 3 of this paper. Support for the Amendment can be found in the specification at least in paragraph 0027.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.

It is not believed that extensions of time are required beyond those that may otherwise be

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provided for in documents accompanying this paper. However, if additional extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), and any fees required therefore are hereby authorized to be charged to Deposit Account No. 50-0221.